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PATENT

Docket No. 47440-041000

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Tunney, et al.

Appln. No.: 09/901,514

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For: Method for Cleaning Pressurized
Containers Containing Moisture
Sensitive Chemicals

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

Group Art Unit: 1746

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, the references listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 are being brought to the attention of the Examiner for consideration in connection with the examination of the above-identified patent application. The Examiner is respectfully requested to carefully review the references in accordance with the requirements set out in the Manual of Patent Examining Procedure.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits. Therefore, Applicants submit that no fee or certification is necessary for consideration of the cited references pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.97.

Also, there is reserved the right to later set forth how the instant invention is distinguished over the disclosure of any reference or other art, including the disclosures of those references and other information discussed herein, that may be cited by the Examiner in rejecting a claim in the instant patent application.


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It is respectfully requested that the Examiner indicate consideration of the cited references by returning a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 with initials or other appropriate remarks.

Respectfully submitted,



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